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Training Sergeant Brown named CTSD Trainer of the Year

t September's Correctional Institutions Division meeting in Huntsville, Sergeant Tracy Brown of CID's Region VI Training Academy was recognized as Correctional Training and Staff Development's 2014 Trainer of the Year.

Sergeant Brown joined TDCJ in 1997 and currently holds an associate degree. This year, with assistance from a Texas Correctional Association Susan Cranford Scholarship, Brown will begin work on her



Sergeant Tracy Brown

bachelor's degree at Tarleton State University. Brown's work was essential to CTSD's achieving a 100% reaccreditation score from the American Correctional Association. She is also active in the Crisis Response Intervention Support Program and has deployed to locations around the state to assist at CTSD staff emergencies.

CTSD's Trainer of the Year is selected from a group of six Regional Trainers of the Year. The five other nominees for this year's award were:

Region I

Sergeant Sylvia Norman, Region I Training Academy

Region IV

Sergeant John Lawson, Edmundo Mireles Training Academy

Region II

Sergeant Shane Crutcher, Region II Training Academy

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Region V

Sergeant Jeremy Herndon,

Clements Unit-Based In-Service Training

Region III

Sergeant Marvin Bouldin, Jr.,